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MINISTRY OF STEEL, MINES & FUEL

(Department of Iron & Steel)

RESOLUTION

SCRAP COMMITTEE

*New Delhi, the 29th April 1961*

No. SC(B)-24(7)/60.—Government have decided to constitute a Committee to consider various problems connected with Iron and Steel Scrap in the country.

2. The Committee will consist of

- (i) Shri A. N. Banerjee, Iron & Steel Controller—Chairman
- (ii) Shri N. R. Reddy, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of Commerce & Industry—Member
- (iii) Shrimati D. Kumar, Officer on Special Duty, Economic Division, Ministry of Finance—Member, and
- (iv) An Officer of the Iron & Steel Control, Calcutta—Member Secretary.

3. One or more members will be added to the committee shortly.

4. The Committee will

- (a) ascertain the quantum of probable arisings of different grades of scrap in various regions in the next five years.
- (b) study the use, current and prospective, of scrap within the country in the same period.
- (c) study the existing system of distribution and suggest improvements that could be made to it.
- (d) study the present system of price control on scrap and the need for its continuance;
- (e) examine the possibilities of export of different grades of scrap and the licensing policy that should be pursued and
- (f) examine the need for imports of scrap to meet the requirements of actual users.

5. The Committee will arrange for actual field research in selected areas on the above aspects, if necessary, by utilisation of suitable agencies.

6. The Committee will, before submitting its recommendations to the Government, give opportunity to various interests connected with scrap i.e. producer, users, exporters, traders, to present their views.

7. The Committee will submit its report as early as possible, preferably by 30th September 1961.

8. Ordered that the copy of the above Resolution be communicated to all State Governments, all Ministries/Departments of the Government of India, Prime Minister's Secretariat, Cabinet Secretariat, Lok Sabha Secretariat, Rajya Sabha Secretariat, the Private and Military Secretary to the President, Planning Commission, Comptroller and Auditor General of India, Accountant General, Central Revenues, Director of Audit, Food, Rehabilitation, Supply, Commerce, Steel & Mines, Iron & Steel Controller, Calcutta.

Ordered also that it be published in the Gazette of India Extraordinary.

S. BHOTHALINGAM, Secy.